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EXPRESS ABANDONMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Applicants hereby expressly abandon the above application.

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